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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (SIDS)

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97, Applicants hereby make of record the following additional document. A PTO Form SB/08 and a full copy of the document required under 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2) accompany this statement.

Applicants have become aware of the following documents, cited in a Japanese Office Action issued July 13, 2010, during the prosecution of Application No. 2006-554277, which corresponds to the above referenced application, and in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(c) and (e)(1) or (b)(3), hereby submits these documents for the Examiner's consideration.

Please note that Applicants' attorney does not include in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement reference Bioinformatics. 1999, Vol. 15, No. 1, pp. 72-84 cited in the corresponding Office Action. This reference was previously submitted in an Information Disclosure Statement to the U.S. Patent Office in this case on May 15, 2006.

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Respectfully submitted,

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